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SUBJECT: LEAHY VETTING FOR COUNTERING VIOLENT EXTREMISM CONFERENCE -DHAKA, SEPTEMBER 27 - 29, 2009

- 11. This is an action request. See para three.
- 12. The following candidates have been selected for participation in the Countering Violent Extremism Conference in Dhaka, which will begin on 27 September 2009. Post vetting was completed on September 16, 2009. Post requests that vetting be completed by September 24 to provide sufficient time for processing. Post requests the department conduct Leahy vetting for the following candidates:
- 11. Name: Md Tariqual Islam

Rank: Major

Unit: Military Operation Directorate Unit Location: Dhaka Cantonment

Personal Number: 4978

Date of Birth: 12 September 1973 Place of Birth: Kushtia, Bangladesh

12. Name: Md Mostagousur Rahman Khan

Rank: Lieutenant Colonel

Unit: 34 EB

Unit Location: Dhaka Cantonment

Personal Number: 3951

Date of Birth: 01 March 1970

Place of Birth: Pirojpur, Bangladesh

- 13. Post requests that the Department of State authorize post to make the following statement to the relevant DOD units: "Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the above named individual or unit."
- 🛂. Post Acting Human Rights Officer is Enrique Gallego, unclass e-mail: GallegoER@state.gov.
- 15. COMMENT: Embassy has no information to indicate these individuals or any units they have served in have been involved in gross violations of human rights.

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